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Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated October 23 2007, please reconsider the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper. A complete listing of the claims, to include any amendments presented therein, begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow on page 6.

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